



Historical Commission | Town of Marion
2 Spring Street
Marion MA 02738

Meeting Minutes

Marion Historical Commission

Thursday, November 4, 2021, 4:30 pm via Zoom

Present: Meg Steinberg, Bryan McSweeney, Sidney Bowen, Will Tift

Absent: Jane Tucker

Meeting called to order at 4:35 pm on Zoom.

1. Vote to approve Minutes for October 7 meeting. Approved unanimously.
2. Grant Updates. 2021: Contract signed with Lynn, Scope of Work review meeting to be Nov. 5. She has already started planning her work. Additional scope to be determined later, based on how much Claire completes in Marion Village.
3. 2020: Next deadline for Claire Dempsey is mid-November. Also still waiting for her final report from CPC Grant for Portuguese study so we can format it for public availability.
4. Received notice of 2022 round of MHC S&P funding. Meg to do the preliminary application before November 15 deadline.
5. Welcome letter went to new owner of 113 Main St., including historic photo.
6. Percy Browne House: Meg had drafted article for papers but members did not receive it. She will resend for approval and then send to local papers for publication.
7. Capt. Pitcher House, 113 Front. New owner trying to connect with us for an interview on its history.
8. 49 Water Street. Conservation Commission meeting delayed again. We will present our concerns when next hearing date is set. Concerns raised about creating a local historic district in that area to prevent incompatible new design in future.
9. Website photo updates: Meg will reach out to Jane for status. Bryan has given her a thumb drive with new photos, and he offered to follow up on it if needed.
10. Reminder to attend Town House Entrance rededication on Saturday, Nov. 6.
11. Next meeting set for December 9 at 4:30pm via Zoom.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Meg Steinberg, Chair